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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

SUBJECT: Possibility of a New United States Disarmament Proposal in the Eighth General Assembly

REFERENCES: A. NSC 112 and NSC 112/1  
B. NSC Action No. 899

The following actions on the subject by the National Security Council, the Secretary of the Treasury, Acting Director, Bureau of the Budget, and the Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission, at the Council meeting on September 9, 1953, (NSC Action No. 899) as subsequently approved by the President, have been referred to the Secretaries of State and Defense and the Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission, for appropriate action; and are transmitted herewith for the information of the Council:

- a. Adopted the recommendations contained in paragraphs 7-b and 8 of NSC 112/1.
- b. Did not adopt paragraph 7-a of NSC 112/1; but agreed that action under paragraph 8 could include a review of U. S. efforts in the United Nations to achieve agreement on disarmament.
- c. Agreed to recommend to the President that the Secretaries of State and Defense and the Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission be appointed a special committee to review, as a matter of urgency, the current policy contained in NSC 112, with particular reference to the international control of atomic energy, and to report back to the Council their findings and recommendations.

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Executive Secretary

cc: The Secretary of the Treasury  
The Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission  
The Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff  
The Director of Central Intelligence~~TOP SECRET~~